

Substitute Bill No. 289

January Session, 2001

## AN ACT CONCERNING REFLECTORIZED SAFETY NUMBER PLATES ON MOTOR VEHICLES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- Section 1. Section 14-21b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:
- 3 (a) The commissioner shall issue fully reflectorized safety number 4 plates for new registrations and renewal registrations issued on and 5 after January 1, 2000, for passenger, combination and commercial 6 registrations and other registrations as the commissioner deems feasible within funds and personnel available. Each plate shall bear the 8 words "Constitution State" and "Connecticut". The commissioner shall 9 issue two fully reflectorized safety number plates in accordance with a 10 schedule established by the commissioner in such quantities as the 11 commissioner deems feasible within the funds and personnel 12 available. No safety fee shall be charged for the issuance of the 13 replacement number plates for such renewals.
  - (b) No additional charge shall be made for the issuance of such new or replacement fully reflectorized plates, except for the safety fee provided for in subsection (w) of section 14-49.
- 17 <u>(c) The owner or lessee of each registered motor vehicle who is</u> 18 <u>issued two fully reflectorized safety number plates by the</u> 19 <u>commissioner shall display such plates on such motor vehicle as</u>

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- 20 provided in section 14-18. A violation of this subsection shall be an
- 21 <u>infraction</u>.
- Sec. 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

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